8/28/72, Howard- After the hasty enclosed note to Ed the air felt a little cool, so I'll let my own temperature go down a little beofre the swim. In the haste I forgot to tell him about the great "onolulu Conference file I got from the strange painter and let you have. It is quite relevant to these pages and these pages help straighten out some of the mysteries of the atypical Times coverage.

You haven't told me and I haven't asked whether you were with Cyril. No difference. I suspect from what happened you were not, but he is so strong-willed and was with such strong-willed and wrong and he has, I am satisfied, this special lust, so nothing would have made any difference. If you were there, have no regrets. Only there are new potential hazards ahead because Cyril was less professional than I thought he'd be. If they take the openings he has given them, we will have more troubles ahead.

Save for a call from The National Enquirer, nothing on the phone since my yesterday's. They are, naturally, hot on the trail of the brain. I did spend some time putting the guy in a position to be responsible. He'll have what for him is a story if he can't find it, perhaps a better story. I've tried to put it in perspective for him.

If there was a second-day story today, I've not seen or heard of it, which you may remember is consistent with one of my postulates, depending on which way it went. They have what they want. But it seems that Cyril has done even more that will torture Sylvia. I'm to get a copy of the reporting of a speech he made in Ohio saying that Bobby was killed by the same people because he would have re-opened the JFK case. Long shades of Long John! Just learned of this today.

PH sent the pages I needed for Hades Not Camelot. Came today. No asn. from Arch yet.

Best,